



Morning Humor

The salesman at the furniture store told me, "This sofa will seat 5 people without any problems." I said, "Where the hell am I going to find 5 people without any problems?"

It was my first night caring for an elderly patient. When he grew sleepy, I wheeled his chair as close to the bed as possible and, using the techniques I'd learned in school, grasped him in a bear hug to lift him onto the bed. But I couldn't clear the top of the mattress. So I grabbed him again, summoned all my might, and hoisted him onto the bed. When the night shift nurse arrived, I recounted what had happened. "Funny," she said, looking puzzled. "Usually I just ask him to get in bed, and he does."

During tryouts for one of the chorus positions in the upcoming musical *The Sound of Music*, one of the girls told the judges, "Mother says I sing beautifully." The judge replied, "Bring me a recommendation from your neighbors and I'll give you a tryout."



Our neighbors gave us a pumpkin pie as a holiday gift. As lovely as the gesture was, it was clear from the first bite that the pie tasted bad. It was so inedible that we had to throw it away. Ever gracious and tactful, my wife sent the neighbors a note. It read: "Thank you very much for the pumpkin pie. Something like that doesn't last very long in our house."

Thanksgiving Day was approaching and the family had received a Thanksgiving card with a painting of a pilgrim family on their way to church. Grandma showed the card to her small grandchildren, observing: "The Pilgrim children liked to go to church with their mothers and fathers." "Oh yeah?" her young grandson replied. "Then why is their dad carrying that rifle?"



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2020 is almost gone and what a year. One of the really bright spots was the new child in the Valley provided by the Lundquists. This is the best formal shot I've seen.



Welcome Culver Lundquist!

Our darkest moment was the loss of our good friend Carl Miller. We miss you Carl.

Lots of amazing people have been part of our club and have moved away and at Christmas you here about them and how they are doing.

Do you remember Corky Scharf and wife Bev?



Corky lives in Spokane and recently celebrated his 84th birthday and he and Bev celebrated their 54th anniversary. Tough lady.



Former REA Manager was a Winthrop Kiwanis Secretary. He and wife Kat live in Payette, Idaho. Some folk will remember their daughter Shannon who was an active Key Clubber.

Meeting Schedule

Meetings will be by Zoom. Watch for Ray Peterson's email on how to connect. January meetings will be our Board Meeting on the 4th and regular meetings on the 5th and 19th.